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SUBJECT: GOJ NAMES SHIGERU INADA CONCURRENT AEP TO

DAHOMAY

1. ON JULY 20 GOJ ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT OF SHIGERU INAEA CONCURRENT AEP TO DAHOMEY. AS AEP TO IVORY COAST, CAREER DIPLOMAT INADA ALREADY HOLDS CONCURRENT AEP ASSIGNMENTS TO REPUBLIC OF TOGO AND TO NIGER.

2. BORN APRIL 1, 1917, INADA GRADUATED TOKYO UNIVERSITY LAW FACULTY 1941 AND JOINED MOFA 1943. INITIALLY POSTEE HANOI (1943) AND SAIGON (1944-1946). FOLLOWING BRIEF STAY IN MOFA, INADA DETAILED TO GOJ CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE, SPECIAL PROPERTY BUREAU (1946-1949). IN 1949 CONCURRENTLY ASSIGNED PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE AND REPARATIONS AGENCY. FROM 1950 TO 1952 SERVED IN MOFA POLITICAL AFFAIRS BUREAU AND THEN (1952-1953) IN WASHINGTON. IN 1953 HE RETURNED MOFA (REPATRIATES RELIEF BUREAU, ASIAN AFFAIRS BUREAU, SECRETARIAT) WHERE HE REMAINED UNTIL 1957. FROM 1957 TO 1959 ASSIGNED GENEVA (DUTIES INVOLVED LIAISON WITH INTERNATIONAL AGENCIES THERE).

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3. FROM GENEVA, INADA SENT TO LAOS IN 1959 WITH CONCURRENT ASSIGNMENT TO THAILAND (1960). NEXT SERVED AS MOFA ASIAN AFFAIRS BUREAU, SEA SECTION CHIEF (1960-1965). IN 1965-1966, STUDIED AT HARVARD AND THEN POSTED TO OTTAWA AS COUNSELOR. FOLLOWING SERVICE AS ASSOCIATE EXECUTIVE AGENT, UN MEKONG COMMITTEE, BANGKOK (1969-1970), NAMED DCM BERNE. IN SEPT 1972 APPOINTED AEP IVORY COAST, POST HELD UNTIL PGESENT.

4. INADA AND WIFE, YO, HAVE TWO DAUGHTERS (AGES 6 AND 5) AND INFANT SONE (AGE 2). INADA ALSO HAS ANOTHER SON (AGE 26) BY FORMER MARRIAGE.
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